

Alumni Celebrate Fortieth Birthday With Annual Dinner

Celebrating the fortieth birthday of their organization, members of the State Alumni Association held their annual Homecoming Day and Birthday Dinner on Tuesday, April 8.

This was one of the most successful affairs in Alumni history. About 500 graduates returned to the college to participate in the events.

The highlight of the afternoon session was the round table discussion with Mrs. Bertha Monroe as chairman. She was assisted by three speakers, Dr. Evelyn Clement, Dr. Theodore Treutlein and Charles Rich. The subject was, "The Present Crises and Obligations of the Teacher."

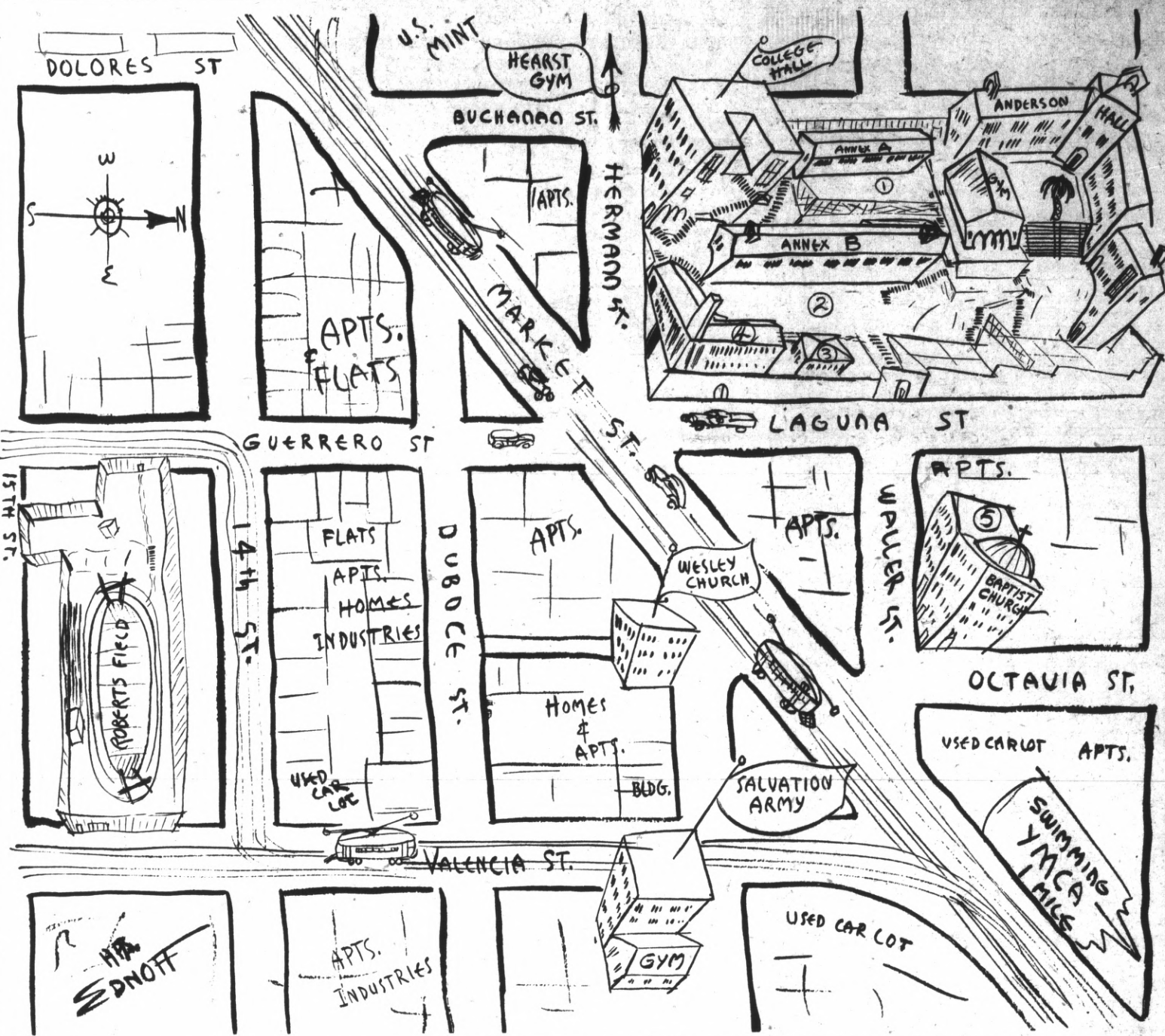
A forum of this type will probably develop into one of the outstanding activities of the association. The Alumni will attempt to secure institute credit for teachers attending next year. Dr. Alexander C. Roberts, president of the college, is in favor of the project. If permission is obtained from authorities, the college will be a center of educational activity next Easter vacation.

Other meetings that were well attended during the afternoon was the physical education department's session, the Education 186 class, the Social Living section handled by the Bib 'n' Tucker club, with Evelyn Shipper as speaker, and the tea sponsored by the education department and Alumni. Following the forum, College Theater presented "Surpressed Desires."

The Birthday Dinner at Lucca's Restaurant climaxed the day. The

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Odyssey of Education



Student Safari

Campus Bill Test In Legislature; Results Favorable

Legislation that will give the State colleges new and complete campuses withstood its first test at Sacramento last Monday when twelve of the 21 members of the Assembly Ways and Means committee voted on a motion to send the bill to the Assembly floor; five committee members voted "do pass," three did not vote and remaining four voted "no."

In making this announcement today, President Alexander C. Roberts, who attended the hearing, stated that he considered this vote favorable because the bill remains on the committee file and can be called up for a further hearing at any time.

COMPANION BILL

Dr. Roberts announced that a companion bill, identical to the one which the State colleges were attempting to get before the Assembly, will be started on its way to the Senate floor a week from Monday night, when it is presented to the Senate Finance committee for a vote.

Revealing the reason for this action he stated, "If the bill is passed by the Senate, it is more likely to pass the House."

He recalled that the legislation which gave State the land at Lake Merced was passed by the Senate first.

TO MAKE PRESENTATION

Dr. Roberts has been given the responsibility by the other six State college presidents to present the bill to the Senate Finance committee.

The total requests of the State colleges included in the legislation amount to \$10,321,065, of which S. F. State's share will be \$3,027,500.

John B. Waite, professor of criminal law at the University of Michigan, is a bow tie addict. Recently 100 freshmen in one of his classes wore bows.—ACP.

Alpha Omega Ranch Dance To Be in Barn

On account of all the fellers is finished their spring plowin' through books, the gals of the Alpha Omega ranch has decided to have a party in the Women's barn tonight.

Folks and neighbors has been invited from all over and it is reckoned that Sal Carson and his fiddlers will swing out with many a fine hoe-down, startin' about nine.

Farmer Jones from down the road a piece has furnished hosses fer ridin' or jus sittin'. Fer them which is risky enuf to try it, a huge slide has been got.

Sis Foppiano has purtied up the place plenty. Mrs. Franklin's girl Dottie is bringin' heaps of her maw's doughnuts fer eats, and her paw's cider fer drinks, which is sold on accounta the kids.

The gals has been plenty busy of recent cuttin' and piecin' and the boys are asked to please wear shoes. Cousin Gerry Polite will check em fer yeen the jiggin gets too hot.

On account of the sixteen-year-olds has got to be watched, Auntie Bonnie Van Gelder, Paw Geeting, Ganpaw Gelder, and Uncle Don Kupfer is to be chaperones.

Prices of 35c and 25c will be levied on the boys and gals as a sort of amusement tax. The gals say to git yer chores over early, but don't come till after dinner.

Summer Music Guest Faculty

Three visiting professors will help the regular music faculty during the summer session: Sidney Halsey, head of instrumental music of the Lodi, California, high school; Wendell Otey, instructor in several music conservatories, and concert pianist; and Charles M. Dennis, director of music in San Francisco public schools.

Mr. Dennis will give educational courses for elementary teachers along with a course on choral conducting. Mr. Halsey will specialize in study for brasswind instruments for both advanced students and beginners. The study of string instruments for beginners and advanced pupils will be handled by Mr. Otey.

These courses will be given only in summer session along with pre-professional music teaching and tests and measurements in music.

Scholarship Bid Deadline Set For April 23 by SAH

Candidates for the Sigma Alpha Eta and Senior class scholarships were warned yesterday that the deadline for petitions has been set for Wednesday, April 23. Petitions must be handed in to the office of Dean P. F. Valentine, according to SAE President Lew Morris.

"The two scholarships, one for \$30 given by Sigma Alpha Eta, the other for \$15 donated by the Senior class, and sponsored by SAE, should be welcome to any male student."

"Candidates must be at least a high sophomore, have a 1.5 grade point average and must indicate a need for the money. The winners will be announced at a special noon-day dance on May 7," Morris revealed.

Twenty-five chaperones and 666 co-eds from Stephens college, Columbia, Mo., recently made a tour of the west.—ACP.

The Farmer's Daughter



Four beauties who make liars of the ones who scoff at feminine pulchritude on State's campus are pictured above as a tempting come-on for tonight's Alpha Omega Barn Dance. Jessie Tracy (left), Carleen Miller (above), Vi Nicoloff (right) and Dot Foppiano (below) are four good reasons NOT to stay home. —Photo by Martin.

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Cast Chosen For 'Susan and God', New Term Play

Second term play for the semester is "Susan and God," by Rachel Crothers, according to Miss Jessie Casebolt, director.

The part of Susan will be played by Rita Balbi, who is new to Little Theater audiences. Playing opposite Miss Balbi in the part of Barrie will be Halloch Wagner, a term play veteran.

Rita De Andreis will interpret the part of the little girl, Blossom, while Irene will be played by Ruth Feathers, who will be remembered from "Two Orphans." George Fenneman, known to everyone for his part in "Tovarich," will be Michael. Dorothea Eskesen, remembered for her work in "Two Orphans," will portray Charlotte.

Vannick Galston and Marian Androvitch, both new to the Little Theater, will take the parts of Stubbs and Leonora, respectively. Sherman Grant, known to Screwball Alley, will be Clyde, the actor. Peggy Clifford is Leontine, and Gordon Mailleux will play Leeds, the butler.

Rehearsals will be held every night from 6 to 10 for the first few weeks. As the performance nears rehearsals may last until midnight. The first rehearsal was Monday, April 14, and it is reported that Miss Casebolt is very well pleased with the cast.

Dates for the play have not yet been set.

Student Positions Still Open

Forthcoming student body elections are still in the middle stage, as far as the number of candidates is concerned, all offices except president being still open for candidates.

The elections themselves will be held on Friday, April 25, with any necessary run-offs the following Monday, April 28.

Kim Announces Senior Week Ticket Sales

Tickets to all Senior Week activities will go on sale the last week in April, Kenneth Kim, ticket chairman, announced today. Kim further stated, "These tickets will enable all seniors who purchase them to attend the Senior Ball, the barbecue, senior luncheon, faculty tea, and pilgrimage. The stubs can be kept as souvenirs of the week of fun."

Victoria Encoyand, chairman of the faculty tea, and Evelyn Ross, chairman of the senior luncheon, announced that both of these activities take place on Tuesday, May 27. The luncheon will be held at a prominent downtown hotel and the tea will take place at 4 p.m. in the Activities room.

Senior Week activities will officially be opened the night of the Senior-Inaugural Ball at the Hotel St. Francis on May 24, according to Dick Hall, ball chairman. On Monday, May 26, a barbecue will be held at Sigmund Stern grove. Ernie Loustalot, chairman, has arranged for a professional cook to do the work and any senior who wishes to invite a friend may

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Brush 'n' Palette Invites Guests To Folk Dance

The only folk dance of the month of April will be held in Frederic Burk auditorium this Friday evening at 8, President Robert Brown announced today.

The members of the S. F. J. C. folk dancing group have been invited to attend, as have the members of the Westminster Club of S. F. State College.

The usual procedure of teaching two new dances will be followed. The price will be 10 cents. All students are invited to attend.

Constitution in Hands Of Voters Today

San Francisco State college can at last rejoice or rage, as the case may be, for the long-anticipated new constitution awaits the voters of State today in the student body offices, with 4 o'clock set as the deadline for the casting of votes.

The new plan of government, if accepted, will introduce a bureaucracy of councils and committees, with the executive board to be composed of fourteen instead of the present twelve. The main purpose of the proposed change is that of integration between the various extra-curricular fields of activity.

As a result of this integration, the representatives will sit as voting members of the executive board. The fields to be represented are Men's and Women's athletics, clubs, arts, music, speech arts, publications and a Rally committee.

The latter will include within its jurisdiction the power of appointment of assistant yell-leader.

As in the past, the offices of president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer and yell-leader will be retained, but the yell-leader is to have no vote, and will be under the supervision of a Rally Council.

Campus Limits

More of the map above is here presented

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Can We Remain in One Peace?

No matter how powerful or deep are one person's convictions in any vital cause, no matter how firmly he is determined to stand for that cause, it is mighty disquieting for him to feel that he is alone and deserted in his stand. That is why the almost unanimous attitude of students at San Francisco State College against the United States' war program is such a great satisfaction to me. Truly I am very proud of what I consider the clarity of vision of State students in a world of radio, movie and newspaper propaganda, aided and abetted by government policy.

Today's anti-war rally, sponsored by the Peace Group, is having prominent speakers from all walks of life. The student turnout no doubt will be very large. But these speakers will all express the one point of view—the one for which we all stand. Students who wish to keep well informed, however, and who seek objectivity and impartiality, will not close their minds to the arguments of those who disagree. In fact, realizing that one of their enemies is ignorance, they will examine closely the other arguments and know them. Now is not the time for intolerance. Now is the time to reinforce the democratic method to the best of our individual abilities.

It's Your Constitution!

Time is short for us to consider the proposed Associated Students' constitution. It is being run in today's paper for the second time. I wonder if you read it before? We are all inclined in such matters to let George do it. Perhaps we, too, much prefer the comic pages, or are too deeply engrossed in qualitative endocrine calculus.

The basis on which this constitution is set up seems to me more politically sound and more in line with present day educational philosophy than the half dozen other constitutions we have had in recent years. But I'm not going to tell you what that basis is. You can figure it out for yourself. You can read, and here's the constitution.

I disagree with most of the following letter, but possibly it will give you food for thought as you delve into said constitution.

Framers Are Called Naive

Dear Editor:

The stupid apathy that has greeted the proposed constitution by the general student body is a lesson in so-called democracy. The lack of interest in the governing body by the constituents should be a matter of concern to the alleged leaders.

Personally, I sincerely believe that passage of the proposed constitution would mean a drastic set-back in progressive student government. As I see it, the measure has some good points, but otherwise it is so full of holes that no self-respecting moth would be associated with it.

The naivete of the framers of this amazing document is surpassed only by the document itself, and reveals an amazing lack of understanding in governmental control. Here are a few of the holes in the proposition:

1. It sets up a complex system of bureaucracy in which only a few of the responsibilities are defined. It's all very confusing; essentially top-heavy, since the executive council has the real power, and these so-called councils are really only committees.

Incidentally, how many of these "councils" can one student head?

2. The "comptroller" is mentioned once. Who is he, and what relation does he have to student government?

Do not the framers realize that the person who has absolute authority over expenditures likewise controls the governing body? How can the exec. council be "responsible for all moneys" when the constitution recognizes a greater power than itself?

Passage of this constitution is a step backward. Now is the time for efficiency, not wobbling, red-tape ridden bureaucracy.

JIM MARTIN.

Kampus Kapers

By JEAN DECKMAN

"SHE'LL be comin' round the mountain when she comes." Where? The Alpha Omega Barn Dance, of course. When? Tonight at nine, and if the girls of the sorority can promise that there will be as pretty girls at the dance as the one drawn by Dan Atkinson and currently appearing on the Bib 'n' Tucker bulletin board, the stag line will be a mile long. Jeans, school clothes, overalls, and any old thing can be worn to this-a-here barn dance.

Treading the light fantastic last Wednesday noon were: Harry Robey, Edna Lane, Mildred Wetherby, Bob Turney, Rosalie Robey, Ray Lang, Lucille Murphy, Corinne Ketterlin, Mary Gresham, and Tillie Rastad, who changed from one print dress into the checkered attire of the Alpha Omega sorority. Mighty cute, Tillie!

Phi Lambda Chi sorority girls will be entertaining their boy friends tomorrow at the Hotel St. Francis when they gather for an evening of dancing. The Mural room will be the scene of the affair.

Only one more ball will be given this term, but there are still plenty of social affairs in the offing. The annual Publications Party will be held Saturday, April 26, according to Bob Buckley. Members of the Brush 'n' Palette will continue to hold folk dances in Frederic Burk on Friday nights, and even now the Peace Group is seriously considering a dance. On Saturday night, members of the Bib 'n' Tucker club will journey to the home of Dot Hoyt. The final ball will be that of the Seniors on May 24 in the Colonial room of the St. Francis, and this will be known as the Senior-Inaugural Ball.

Nice, isn't it, fellows, to watch Dotty Schnell, Carlene Miller, Marion Honan, or Beth Johnston grab their skirts these windy days; or see Virginia Huff practice her jig steps; listen to Dot Fitzpatrick or Beth Payne sing; or just to think of Barbara Biggs, queen of Cal-Poly?

See you tonight, Farmers.

BERNS

In the Belfry...

I OFTEN go to my post office box and what do I find—nothing! A great and empty void greets my young and eager face. And I ask of the murky, stygian depths, "Will nothing ever grace the portals of yon rectangular box?" And the depths, murky and stygian, reply, "Nevermore." (And if anyone dare accuse me of a direct steal from Edgar Allan Poe, why take your case to court at once and collect on it.)

But to be serious (nevermore), I went to my box about a week ago and honestly and truly expected the rectangular thingamajig, murky and stygian, to give forth with ye olde cinch notices. At last, I thought, my day has come. I shall have arrived—even if it be only to the tune of cinch notices.

Canst thou not see the disillusioned look on my face, young and eager, when, lo and behold, not one cinch was to be beheld?

Surely, this could not be! Everybody else was gleefully filing to and from their boxes with joyful ejaculations that their boxes had given forth with the oh-so-desired cinch notices.

I know I flunked three courses cold.

Everybody else got their notices—why not I?

I shall demand my rights—they can't do this to me.

(Registrar's Note: Mr. Berns has just left college because of scholastic difficulties.)

Memorandum: To Skunk Cabage Floral Company.

From: J. R. Berns.

Re: Gift Calendar.

Please be advised that I received your wonderful gift calendar for the year 1937, and am duly impressed. Thanking you kindly, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

P. S.—Whenever I look at a calendar, I shall think of you.

P. P. S.—Whenever I look at you, I shall think of a calendar.

P. P. P. S.—Etc.

The horse I was riding wanted to go one way, and I wanted to go another.

Who won?

He tossed me for it.

Proposed Student Body Constitution

—OF—

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF SAN FRANCISCO STATE COLLEGE

PREAMBLE

We, the students of San Francisco State College, in order to promote, control and integrate student activities and government as delegated by the President of the College, do hereby establish this Constitution.

ARTICLE I

Name, Colors, and Membership

1. This organization shall be known as the Associated Students of San Francisco State College.
2. The colors of the Association shall be purple and gold.
3. All registered students of San Francisco State College who have paid the required dues for this organization shall become members of this Association, and, as such, shall be eligible to hold office in (see Art. 5, Sec. 3), and enjoy the privileges of this Association.
4. The symbol of this organization shall be the Alligator.

ARTICLE II

Officers

1. The officers of this Association shall be:
 - (a) A President who shall be a member of the senior class for at least one semester of his term in office. He shall be the chief executive and official representative of the Association. He shall have the duty of supervising, directing, and coordinating all of the Association's work and shall take all steps necessary to that end. He shall preside at all meetings of the Association and shall be chairman of the Executive Board.
 - (b) A Vice-President who shall be a member of the senior class for at least one semester of his term in office, and who shall assume chairmanship of the Social Activities Council. He shall assume the duties of the President during his absence.
 - (c) A Secretary who shall be at least of junior standing during one semester of his term in office. He shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Association and perform such duties as may be allotted him by the Executive Board.
 - (d) A Finance Commissioner who shall be at least of junior standing during one semester of his term in office. He shall be chairman of the Finance Council, and, as such, shall sign all checks and vouchers made out on the Association, in conjunction with the Comptroller.
 - (e) A Rally Commissioner who shall be at least of junior standing during one semester of his term in office. He shall be chairman of the Rally Council, and, as such, shall be responsible for, and in charge of all rallies, excursions, and deputations.
 - (f) And all other members of the Executive Board. They will carry out their duties, however, according to the policies of their respective councils.

ARTICLE III

The Executive Board

1. Composition.
 - (a) The Executive Board shall consist of:
 - (i) The President of the Associated Students.
 - (ii) The Vice-President of the Associated Students.
 - (iii) The Secretary of the Associated Students.
 - (iv) The Finance Commissioner.
 - (v) The Rally Commissioner.
 - (vi) The President of the Associated Men's Students who shall act as chairman of the Associated Men's Students Council.
 - (vii) The President of the Associated Women's Students who shall act as chairman of the Associated Women's Students Council.
 - (viii) A representative of the Athletic Council.
 - (ix) A representative of the Publications Council.
 - (x) A representative of the Music Council.
 - (xi) A representative of the Art Council.
 - (xii) A representative of the Speech Arts Council.
 - (xiii) A representative of the Club Advisory Council.
 - (xiv) A representative of the W. A. A.

2. Duties.
 - (a) The Executive Board shall be the administrative and legislative body of this Association and, as such, shall be responsible for, and in charge of all policies, properties, and monies of the Association.

3. Meetings.
 - (a) The Executive Board shall meet once each week while the College is in session, and, in addition, shall hold special meetings whenever it is deemed necessary. Eight members shall constitute a quorum. Any member who shall have been absent from any three meetings without accepted excuse during any one semester shall forfeit his seat. The Executive Board is hereby authorized to take such steps as may be necessary to fill any such vacancies.

ARTICLE IV

Nominations and Elections

1. The following officers shall be elected by the Associated Students: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Finance Commissioner, and Rally Commissioner.

A Head Yell-Leader will also be elected by the Associated Students, but he will not sit as a member of the Executive Board nor be considered an Officer of the Associated Students.

2. The officers of the Associated Men's Students and Associated Women's Students will be elected by their respective groups at the Associated Students' election.

3. All nominations for both Associated Students and Associated Men's and Associated Women's Students officers and the position of Head Yell-Leader shall be made through petition, such petition to be signed by at least fifty (50) members of the Associated Students.

- (a) In order to be eligible for an Associated Students, an Associated Men's Students, or an Associated Women's Students office, a candidate must have passed in at least ten units of work during the previous semester and must have maintained a "C" (1.0) or better average during his college career.

- (b) Petitions must be submitted to the Executive Board at least one week before elections.

- (c) All candidates for Associated Students offices elected by the general student body shall have upper class standing and shall have been a resident student for at least one year.

- (d) Any candidate shall be declared elected upon receiving one or more than half of all the votes cast for his office.

- (e) Those officers elected by the Associated Students shall be elected for a term of one year. Those elected by their respective Councils shall hold a seat on the Executive Board for a term corresponding to their length of tenure as heads of their Councils.

ARTICLE V

Amendments

1. Amendments to this Constitution may be proposed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Executive Board, or by a petition of ten (10) per cent of the Associated Students.

2. Amendments must be ratified by a majority of those voting in an Associated Students' election.

BY-LAWS

The By-Laws hereinafter and now attached shall support and define the Constitution and shall be as binding and as sacred as the Constitution.

ARTICLE I

Parliamentary Authority

1. Robert's Rules of Order shall be the parliamentary authority of this Association subject to special rules that have been or will be adopted.

ARTICLE II

Order of Business

1. The agenda shall be as follows:
 - (a) Roll Call.

- (b) Reading of minutes of previous meeting.
- (c) Reading of minutes of previous meeting.
- (d) Standing Council reports.
- (e) Standing Committee reports.
- (f) Special Committee reports.
- (g) Old Business.
- (h) New Business.
- (i) Adjournment.

ARTICLE III

Initiative, Referendum, and Recall

1. On petition of ten (10) per cent of the Associated Students, any matter pertaining to policy shall be placed before the Executive Board.
 - (a) The Board shall consider the proposition and either adopt it without change or refer it with or without a substitute proposal to a vote of the Associated Students within a period of four weeks from the date of presentation, failing which, the proposal shall automatically become a law.
2. By two-thirds (2/3) vote, the Executive Board may submit questions of policy to the Associated Students for a vote.
3. On petition of ten (10) per cent of the Associated Students, resolutions of the Executive Board shall be submitted to an Associated Students vote at an election to be called four weeks from the date of presentation, failing which, such resolutions shall automatically become null and void.
4. On petition of ten (10) per cent of the Associated Students, a recall may be instituted against officer elected by the Associated Students.
 - (a) Such petitions shall be submitted to the Secretary unless that office is involved, in which case the Finance Commissioner shall receive them. Each such petition shall contain the reason for which recall is requested.
 - (b) A recall election shall be called within two weeks after filing of the petition.
 - (c) At this election, the question of recall only shall be considered. The incumbent shall not be required to run against another candidate.
 - (d) If a majority of the votes cast is for recall, the Executive Board shall make a temporary appointment until a special election may be held.

ARTICLE IV

Standing Councils

There shall be eleven (11) representative Councils within the Associated Students who shall be entitled to one vote each on the Executive Board. In general, each shall be independent within its own sphere and shall formulate its own policies, subject to the approval of the Executive Board.

It shall be the duty of the representatives of these Councils to integrate student government within the College.

Each of these Councils shall file, at the first Executive Board meeting of each semester, their policy or constitution and itemized budget for the ensuing semester, for the approval of the Executive Board.

1. These Councils shall be:
 - (a) The Social Activities Council.
 - (i) Shall be the coordinating body for all social activities presented by the Associated Students.
 - (ii) Shall consist of the Vice-President of the Associated Students who shall act as chairman; the four class Presidents, and four members-at-large selected by the chairman.
 - (iii) All functions that receive Associated Students' support must submit dates to Social Activities Council for approval.
 - (b) The Finance Council.
 - (i) Shall be responsible to the Executive Board for the condition of the finances of the Associated Students and shall present to the Board, the preceding semester, a budget for the Associated Students.
 - (ii) Shall consist of the Finance Commissioner as chairman; the President of the Associated Students, and three members-at-large selected by the chairman.
 - (c) The Rally Council.
 - (i) Shall be the coordinating body for all pep activities within the College.
 - (ii) Shall consist of the Rally Commissioner who shall act as chairman; the head yell-leader, and as many members from the Associated Students shall be selected for the Council as the Commissioner deems necessary to carry out the program of the Council.
 - (d) The Associated Men's Students Council.
 - (i) Shall function according to the constitution of the Associated Men's Students.
 - (e) The Associated Women's Students Council.
 - (i) Shall function according to the constitution of the Associated Women's Students.
 - (f) The Athletic Council.
 - (i) Shall be empowered to formulate athletic policy within the College and to make recommendations on "Block Letter" awards.
 - (ii) Shall consist of the General Athletic Manager, members of the department of Physical Education for men, a representative of each team eligible for a "Block S" award in a given semester who shall be chosen by the members of that team, a representative of the "Block S" Society, and the President of the Associated Students.
 - (g) The Publications Council.
 - (i) Shall be the coordinating body for all officially recognized Associated Students' publications within the College.
 - (ii) The Director of Publications who shall act as chairman of Publications Council and four members-at-large actively engaged in publications. They shall be selected by the chairman.
 - (iii) Editorial policy of each publication shall be decided by the editorial staff of each publication.
 - (h) The Music Council.
 - (i) Shall function according to the constitution of the Music Council.
 - (i) The Art Council.
 - (i) Shall function according to the constitution of the Art Council.
 - (j) The Speech Arts Council.
 - (i) Shall function according to the policy of the Speech Arts Council.
 - (k) The Club Advisory Council.
 - (i) Shall consist of a representative of every duly chartered club in the college.
 - (ii) Shall be the coordinating body for all clubs in the college.
 - (iii) The President of the Club Advisory Council shall be that group's representative to the Executive Board.
 - (iv) Shall hold at least four meetings a semester.
 - (l) The W. A. A. Council.
 - (i) Shall function according to the Constitution of the W. A. A.

ARTICLE V

Standing Committees

There are hereby instituted four standing committees who shall, at their first meeting, seek to understand, condense, and prepare a presentation of their reason for being and duties to be approved by the Executive Board. The President of the Associated Students shall appoint the chairman of these committees with the approval of the Executive Board.

1. These committees shall be:
 - (a) A Social Welfare Committee.
 - (i) Shall consist of a chairman and six members-at-large selected by the chairman.
 - (b) A Judicial Committee.
 - (i) Shall consist of a chairman and four members-at-large selected by the chairman.
 - (c) A Traditions Committee.

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Student Opinion Claims Lack of Campus Breeds Poor Attitude

By ABNER HUNT

"State lacks a 'college attitude,' such as is displayed at large universities." Thus spake the average student in answer to recent informal polls taken around the grounds of State College.

Generally, students layed the blame for the great "lack" to the fact that State has little or no campus. Prominent swimmer Ivor Wright put the problem thus: "Students at State take little interest in campus activity. I think most everyone will grant that. Our big trouble lies in the fact that there is nothing on our grounds to attract or hold the average student."

"After the end of a school day," continued Wright, "most students tear out of the school and board a streetcar for home."

The average student continued Wright's argument: "... we lack adequate rally grounds. Who can blame students for spending free hours in some drug store... State's lone tree and NO benches doesn't do much to encourage free-hour sociability and conversation... I say our lack of proper attitude can be cured by more attractive surroundings... all I can add is that college should be a place where students can talk and discuss their interests—it should not exist simply as a mill to grind our diplomas."

Still other students said that State's main trouble lies in the fact that the school lacks a decent cafe. "The present cafe is complete in every detail. It even has live rats running around. No doubt the rodents are scavengers, hired to clean up crumbs."

Further testimony on the rat issue seemed to bear out the fact that rats have been seen in the school's cafeteria.

Among the male population of State an intense desire for improved athletic quarters was expressed. At present the men's training quarters is situated in the basement of Frederic Burk, State's training school for practice teaching.

In general the men spoke of the gymnasium as: "... if the ceiling was a little higher a fellow could get in a little jump rope for boxing, or some tumbling and apparatus work... The showers are what get me. The hot and cold water comes in spurts. One minute you are scalded and the next you are frozen."

Some students, when asked for their opinions on State's troubles, turned away with: "I have nothing to say." Some smiled, declaring: "What's the use?"

Professors, who heard the results of the poll, expressed their pleasure upon hearing that a desire for campus life, for a more unified and college-minded atmosphere, was apparent in the answers given by the large majority of polled students.

MUSIC CORNER

A week ago Saturday morning the final concert of the young people's series was presented by Rudolph Ganz and the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra. The concert served a very real purpose in the San Francisco educational program.

Each concert in the series is built around a central theme or thought which Mr. Ganz wishes the children to understand. The theme for this final concert was "Human Emotions and Moods in Music." The program demonstrated how music could be used as a means of expressing sadness, happiness, humor, or wistfulness.

The manner in which the children behaved and the interest which they showed in the program was very noticeable. The age span was great (from about seven to seventy) yet attentiveness and orderliness prevailed throughout the whole program.

Perhaps one reason for this was that the attention span of the children was taken into consideration when the selections on the program were chosen. The numbers were all short, very light, and easy to listen to. Such selections as Schumann's "Träumerei," Liszt's "Liebertraum," and Saint-Saens' "Marche Heroique" are typical of the content of the program. For

this reason even the youngest child present seemed to enjoy the whole concert.

In preparation for these concerts the children receive instruction at school designed to acquaint them with the makeup of the orchestra—the names of the instruments, and what the instruments look like. This serves to create an added interest in the concert.

Children in the upper grades study the composers of the music they are to hear, and through records the actual music on the programs, with the idea that children, like adults, enjoy music more if it is somewhat familiar to them.

Interest is also stimulated through a contest for the best notebook turned in by each grade age at the end of the series. These notebooks contain copies of the programs from the concerts as well as any material that the child has collected with reference to the concerts.

The result of this program of children's concerts is an ever-growing love and understanding of the best in music. This was proven when Mr. Ganz' announcement that he would return again next year for the fifth season of these concerts was met with enthusiastic applause by every child in the audience.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTION (Cont'd)

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- (1) Shall consist of a chairman and six members-at-large selected by the chairman.
- (d) A Publicity Committee.
 - (1) The Executive Board, at the outset of each semester, shall hire a Publicity Director who shall be in charge of both internal and external publicity for the college.
 - (2) The Executive Board shall decide upon the amount of remuneration for the position.
 - (3) The Publicity Director shall act as chairman of the committee and shall select as many members-at-large as he deems necessary to carry out the program of the committee.

ARTICLE VI

Class Government

1. Four classes—freshman, sophomore, junior, and senior shall be recognized.
2. Officers for each class, shall be elected at the beginning of the fall semester each year.
3. Each class shall elect its own officers on a date which will be selected by the Executive Board.
4. Officers will hold office for a period of one year.
5. The election for each class will be in the hands of a committee appointed from the Executive Board by the President of the Associated Students.
6. The Presidents, as the representatives of their classes, shall submit, at the first meeting of each semester, a policy, program, and budget for the ensuing semester to the Executive Board for approval.
7. Any student entering in the Spring Semester as a freshman shall automatically attain high freshman standing in student government.

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Under the Blotter

By GEORGE RUGE.

For the first time in our lives we were wrong.

Yessir, wrong. We had to pay boxer Tony Colonico 25 cents on the Baer-Nova farce. And why? Why, all because Maxie failed to get into condition. But after all he was only about 20 pounds overweight. The daily papers wrote: "... Baer enjoys a decided weight advantage over young Lou Nova."

Advantage. That's what they called it. And that is why we can't figure out howinell we lost money. After all, an advantage is an advantage.

And another thing: We hear, from our usual reliable source, that Tony Colonico telephoned SEVERAL of the SPORTS DEPARTMENTS of our local sheets, BEFORE he placed any bets on the fights.

RUGGED GUY...

It was back in 1936. State had no bleachers in Roberts field. Further, they had no money for seats of any kind. Football season loomed. It looked hopeless.

Then a red-haired guy came down to the mudhole with a hammer and some wood. That was Dean Dave Cox. Coaches Harden and Farmer helped, too. And about 100 students showed up to drive a nail or two.

The bleachers were finished in time for the Marin Jaysee-State game. The seats were built to hold 2000. And, you guessed it, about 5000 fans invaded Roberts field for the game.

Maybe if we abandoned the admirable Cox in the wastes of Lake Merced, with only a sack of lawn seed and a bag of cement between him and starvation, he would build a new stadium on the already selected site.

WHAT'S THE USE?

'Twould be just as well to leave fencing out of our sports page. Instead, we could just print the names of the worthy foil wielders and say that they had just completed another match.

What's the use of wasting space with such details as to WHERE WAS THE MATCH? WHO FOUGHT WHO. WHAT SCHOOL WAS BEATEN?

What's the use indeed, when, to our knowledge, Len Duckworth's team has NEVER lost a match on the rubber strip. They've won against U. C. and Stanford, the Army and a vast array of other alleged greats.

TRIVIA...

When is Pete Mirandi going to stop growing? Pete weighs well over 200 now. All of which is where it should be on the Mirandi frame.

Pete may not be THE heaviest man on next year's football squad, but he will be the best proportioned and most active man in the extra heavy division.

Note to Dick Boyle: Maybe Mirandi could be shifted to the now VERY WEAK backfield. Could it be so?

Freak Game Sees State Collect Nine Runs in One Inning for Win

Came a nine run rally in Wednesday's game against Fort Ord and State bounced the Army 12-11, in an eleven inning diamond war.

The nine runs scored in the crucial ninth brought State up to tie the Army 11-11. It took a combination of two hits, six walks and three errors to accomplish the oddity.

Frowsy-haired pitcher Jim Keating opened the rally by cracking out a single, then scoring on a home run, driven in by pinch hitter Earl Howard. Hard-driven, Howard's hit cleared the right field fence.



HAL HARDEN

Next, Frank Grannucci hit a single, sprinted for first. But the pickup and throw beat Grannucci to the sack. Frank, however, touched the sack and was called safe when Army's Frank Burk dropped the ball.

It looked like the jig was up when Guido deGhetaldi struck out, but the catcher missed the ball and by the time he had found it, Guido had tagged the initial sack. Three walks put across three runs.

A triple steal put the game on ice for State. Ray Henson, on the steal, crossed the plate, put the tying run on third. Grannucci came to bat again, hit a grounder down third.

Third sacker Potter scooped the

pill, tagged third, believing the bases to be loaded. But Keating was already crossing home, knotting the score.

Under Coach Hal Harden's instruction, Henson drove a single in the eleventh inning, stole second. Not content with stealing second, Henson robbed third, then scored the winning run on Howard's single to right field.

Line score:
Fort Ord.....010 800 002 00—11
S. F. State.....010 010 009 01—12
Fort Ord made 11 hits and 7 errors; State, 9 hits and 3 errors.

Batteries: Carpenter, Truhill, Paltz, Walden, Hiskey and Abolt; Mailoux, Murray, Keating and Henson.

Janitors at the University of New Mexico are campaigning to stop students from throwing pinon shells on classroom floors.—ACP.

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Gymnasts Open Two Day Meet; Al Larin Leads

By LUIGI REPETTO

Featuring the whirling grace of Al "Champ" Larin and of a host of erstwhile acrobats, the first half of San Francisco State's Gymnastic meet came to whirling finish yesterday at noon in the Women's gym.

The first exercise of the meet was the rope climb, which found Al McKay clambering up the rope to take a first in 4.4 seconds. Reno Cordoni took second and Al Davidson showed with a third.

Following the rope climb the tumbling exercises were held. Tumbling included a head spring, forward roll, full pirouette, forward roll, backward roll and a cartwheel, followed by an optional trick. Al Larin copped this activity with a total of 91.1 points. Ernie Leydecker and Werner Steinbach took second and third with 74.2 and 48.3 points, respectively.

CORDONI FIRST

The next event on the program were the exercises on the rings, which consisted of a backward roll and one optional choice. Reno Cordoni took first in this event with a total of 78.5 digits. Leydecker and Steinbach again followed one another and wound up with second and third places.

Concluding the first day's gymnastic card were the Springboard exercises. Unlike the other events, the springboard included two required and three optional.

Taking this meet with a total of 230.9 points was Larin, who repeated his first place triumph in the tumbling match. Strange as it seems, Leydecker and Steinbach again followed with second and third places, respectively.

LARIN LEADS

At the end of the initial half of the program the standings found Larin leading the pack with ten points; Leydecker, nine; Cordoni, eight; McKay, five; Steinbach, three; Davidson, one.

Today the last half of the meet will be run off with exercises on the parallel and horizontal bars, and on the horse.

The men scoring the highest number of points in each event will receive a ribbon for first place and five points. The second and third place winners will receive ribbons and three and one points, respectively.

Alpha Psi Omega Initiates Pledges

Formal initiation ceremonies of Alpha Psi Omega will be held at 7 p.m. April 17 in the Little Theater. At this time the newly elected officers will take the oath of office and all members will be initiated under the direction of Dr. Baxter M. Geeting and Miss Jessie Casebolt, faculty sponsors.

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The Bookstore

Rising up in a surprise stand, a decidedly under-rated San Francisco Junior College track varsity edged out the Gaters, 62 1/3 -59 2/3, at Kezar Stadium Monday afternoon.

State showed noticeably the effects of little training during the recent rains, garnering only four firsts in the meet. The Golden Tide appeared strongest in the hurdles and weight events.

Fencing to Net Credit; Duckw'th Named Coach

Today Dean David Cox released the list of Physical Education courses to be given next term. Buried deep down under such favorites as football, basketball, and ping-pong were the terse numbers P. E. 83 A-B.

Behind these prosaic symbols lies one of the tenses stories yet to emerge from the shadowed obscurity of Frederic Burk's half-lowered basement. The scene of the fencing team's nightly workouts.

For three long years Coach Len Duckworth has striven and sweated to get support for the credit for the fencing idea. At last, after these three long years, his fond dream has come true, and one-half unit of credit will be allowed those taking the course in the future.

Courses will be given in both elementary and advanced sabre-fencing. Duckworth himself will personally conduct the classes, held at 8, Monday and Wednesday, Tuesday and Thursday. While co-educational, they are limited to twenty-five foilers in each section

Out Newmans; Hinze, Gomes Star Block 'S' Nose

Paced by hard-hitting Kenny Gomes and Fred Hinze, the Block "S" eked out a 5-4 triumph over the Newman Club Wednesday.

The Blockmen opened up a 4-0 lead in the early frames, but jolting John Maguire belted a triple and a double for the Newmans and closed the gap. The lettermen, however, put over the winning tally in the final stanza.

Outcasts vs. Sigma Pi Sigma titanic scheduled for yesterday, was postponed and will be rescheduled next week.

Dudley Schultz, veteran hurdler, grabbed both the timber-topping events in slow times, coasting on the evident lack of Jaysee hurdlers. The lows were run in 26.7, and 16.3 took the high hurdles.

Bert Korn led the Rams' attack, taking firsts in both the sprints. The best State could do is two thirds in the dashes.

HODGINS WINS
Bob Hodgins, Gater discus ace, hurled the plate 126 feet 10 inches to win the event, followed closely by Big Bill Stein. Both the shot put and the javelin were won by Bob McGowen, husky Ram weight-tossing, who bettered the efforts of Kenny Gomes and John Grantham, State muscle men.

Bob Lowrey, Jaysee long-distance star, again performed outstandingly for the Ram squad, tossing off 2:03.5 in the 880 to lead both Dick Schwab and Mario Vasquez, Gater runners. He also copped the mile from State's Wally Lozensky.

COX ORGANIZES
Coach David J. Cox, perplexed over State's sudden reversal of form, is again determinedly whipping the Gaters into better condition. The team travels to San Luis Obispo to tangle with Cal Poly over the weekend, and Coach Cox is fearful of what may occur.

Results:
100-yds.—Korn (JC), Fong (JC) Parker (S). Time, 10.3.
220-yds.—Korn (JC), McMeeken (JC), Goettel (S). Time, 22.5.
440-yds.—McMeeken (JC), Crane (S), Young (JC). Time, 32.
880-yds.—Lowrey (JC), Schwab (S), Vasquez (S). Time, 2:03.5
1 Mile—Lowrey (JC), Lozensky (S), Carolan (S). Time, 4:45.
Low Hurdles—Schultz (S), Schneider (JC), Sanderson (S). Time, 25.7.
High Hurdles—Schultz (S), Cox (S), Sanderson (S). Time, 16.3.
Broad Jump—Hornor (S), Sanderson (S), Cox (S). Distance 20 feet 4 inches.
High Jump—Coulter (JC) and Cox (S), Furdum (S). Height, 5 feet 10 inches.
Pole Vault—Groszard (JC), Wood (S), Schultz (S), and Hancock (JC). Height, 12 feet 6 inches.
Shot Put—McGowen (JC), Gomes (S), Stein (S). Distance, 44 feet.
Javelin—McGowen (JC), Grantham (S), Duray (JC). Distance, 175 feet.
Discus—Hodgins (S), Stein (S), McGowen (JC). Distance, 126 feet 10 inches.
Relay—JC. Time, 3:36.

Sophomores at Stratford college recently staged a fashion show to bolster class funds.—ACP.

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Student Corporation Founded at State For Expert Training

Something new is being tried by the English 127 class in radio broadcasting under the direction of Dr. Baxter M. Geeting.

A radio corporation composed entirely of students in the class, resembling as nearly as possible the commercial studios, has been organized.

Although the KSFO control booth is temporarily unavailable to students, the radio corporation idea was suggested so the students might gain practical experience in radio and its various fields.

President of the organization is Dr. Geeting. Ken Bennett is general manager, Lorraine Schwaderer and Victoria O'Donnell are his staff assistants.

Director of plays is Frank Gillio, who is assisted by Noreen Honeff and Arnold Vezzani. Promotion will be handled by Ray Berns and Walter Safley. George Fenneman and Bob Sweeney will handle special events with Dorothy Bennett, René Cordoni, Jean Deckman and Rita O'Brien as assistants.

Drama directors are Margaret Moore and Tony Calonic, with assistants Halloch Wagner, Dorothea Eskesen, Stan Wilson, Julia Wessenberg, Frances Young, Herb Smith, Sherry Auerbach, Minerva Merzuran and Elmo Costello. Louise Winter is director of scripts and is assisted by Eunice Catlett, Agnes Koras and Louise Valente.

"Young America Speaks," college program aired every week, is under the direction of Bob Sigerson, Richard Rafael and Sam Dana. Program production is handled by Douglas MacMullen, Bill Warner and Paul Scholten.

Richard Perry and Carl Nichols are announcers. Script writing will be done by Bruce Forberg and Nell Lane, and continuity writing by Mildred Drummond and Lilly Phillips.

William Marrinan will handle newscasting, and Harvey Glassenberg, Nello Biancalano and Larea Pittman will handle public relations. Record librarian is Ruby Parnely.

Alpha Mu Gamma Takes New Members Tonight

Pledges of Alpha Mu Gamma will be initiated tonight at Lucca Restaurant by ceremonies starting at 5:30. Dinner is planned after the initiation for members, faculty and their friends, at which time all new members will be called upon for a short speech given in the language which they are studying.

Membership in Alpha Mu Gamma is open to all college students who have received two A's and at least a B in any foreign language studied at college.

Symphony Broadcasts For Summer Session

Students at summer session have an opportunity for hearing the Standard Oil Company Thursday evening broadcasts. The summer session music department has made this opportunity possible through special arrangement with the Standard Oil Company.

More Alumni...

Alumni honored the memory of Dr. Frederic Burk, the first president of the college. Dean Mary A. Ward, who was a member of the faculty under Dr. Burk, gave an excellent talk on the life and work of this outstanding American educator. She told how he started the "Individual Instruction System" and established the college as one of the leading teacher training institutions in the world.

Dr. Roberts gave his annual report concerning the college and told the graduates about the latest developments in the building campaign. He was presented with a picture of Dr. Burk, a gift from the Alumni.

Ted Goldman, president of the Alumni, was general chairman of the day. He was assisted by Dean P. F. Valentine, Pauline Lidgate, Sally Wilde, Grace Lawrence, Violet Wenk, Bernice Johnson, Dorothy Fryman, Dawn Worth, Viola Happy and Harold Martin.

Mistress (to cook at 5:45 p.m.): I know it's the third time this time, Mary, but my husband just phoned and he's bringing three men to dinner. How long will you need to get ready?

Mary: Pardon me. I packed my trunk the last time it happened.

Gater Offers Job Service

The following job openings are being offered through the office of the Dean of Women:

Part-time work for High Junior woman only. Applicant must have a husband, mother, father, brother or sister who is a war veteran.

Young men and women with background for handling children's groups in sewing, sports, dramatics, craft work of all types, and photography, may register for vacation work with the Girls' Recreation and Community Center.

Anyone interested in these opportunities should apply to Dean Ward as early as possible.

English Association Meets To Plan Preparatory Courses

In an attempt to outline a plan for the segregation of college preparatory groups from non-college groups in the English departments of secondary schools, the College English Association of the Bay Area will meet at a conference on May 3 at Stanford University, it was announced today by Frank L. Fenton, chairman of the English department, who was recently elected president of the association.

"Because only a small percentage of high school graduates go on to college," Mr. Fenton stated, "the teachers of secondary schools are more or less justified, under their present organization plan, to teach only the bare fundamentals of English."

But he further asserted that a new organization plan should be instituted that will provide a more adequate background in English for the students in each high school who expect to continue their academic education.

Founded three years ago, the College English Association has four aims:

1. To integrate the English work of all colleges and universities in the Bay area.
2. To improve the training of English teachers.
3. To improve college English standards.
4. To establish a closer relationship between colleges and secondary schools.

Attend Homecoming



From all portions of the State, members of the alumni association gathered last week to celebrate the fortieth annual Homecoming Day. Taking a prominent part in the day's activities were Mrs. Anthony Lidgate and Mrs. Stanley Lawrence. —Chronicle photo.

Extension Division Speeds Up Efforts

"Co-operation between educational institutions and the military will produce better citizens for peace and war than an isolated year of instruction in military science," Dr. Alexander B. Ruthven, president of the University of Michigan, told alumni at their annual banquet March 31.

Following Dr. Alexander Roberts' statement concerning State's full-hearted participation in contributing to defense training, Dr. Ruthven's talk shows decidedly the large part this college is playing in defense preparations.

State is participating in a highly necessary part of defense preparations, according to Dr. Roberts. Many of the school's courses are being directly applied to preparation of students for defense positions, and the Extension division is also offering classes in practical training.

Sunday school teacher: "Who went into the lion's den and came out unharmed?" Willie: "Tarzan."

Teacher: If you have \$10 in one pocket and \$25 in the other, what have you?

Herman: The wrong pants.

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College Orchestra, A Cappella Choir In Joint Concert

The San Francisco State College symphony orchestra and A Cappella Choir will present a joint concert on Tuesday evening, April 22, in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church, Waller and Octavia sts. The program, under the co-direction of Dr. William E. Knuth and Roy E. Freeburg, will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

The orchestra will feature the famous "Rienzi" Overture, by Richard Wagner. Also included in this part of the program will be the Prelude to "Lorelei," by Max Bruch, and the First Movement of "Im Walde," by Joachim Raff.

A Cappella Choir will present "Splendor Falls on Castle Walls," a modern setting to Tennyson's famous poem, by Frederick Delius.

Carl Hunter, possessor of a fine tenor voice, will sing the solo in the famous negro chant, "Water Boy."

John Kirwin, 6-foot, 6-inch, 230-pound freshman at Ohio State wears size 20 shoes, 16 inches long and nearly 6 inches wide.—ACP.

Dan Nupen, former ski orderly to King Haakon of Norway, is now coaching at Middlebury college.—

Spring Theme For Newman Dance

"The essence of the Midsummer Night's Dream aspect of spring will be thematic throughout the spring semi-formal jointly sponsored by San Francisco State and J. C. Newman clubs, Saturday night, April 26, in the Empire Room of the Sir Francis Drake Hotel," announced Ed Barry, general chairman, today.

Bids will go on sale next Monday in the ticket booth and by members of the club at \$1.25 per couple. "Get your tickets early," is the cry of Frank Grannucci, advertising chairman, "because the number is limited."

Noel Thomas and his orchestra have been arranged for the dancing in the "Swing of Spring." Students seem to agree that he will be the Puck, the season's cupid, of State's spring social events, and the highlight of the dance's, seasonal theme.

A spring motif in light cool colors will be the design of the bids. The exact design has not yet been announced, but the committee promises a unique and attractive scheme.

Working on the committee for the dance are Ed Barry, Barbara O'Farrell, Ann Taggart, Frank Grannucci, Inger Speiss, and Bernard Flanagan.

More Seniors

do so, providing that they buy an extra ticket for this one affair.

The traditional pilgrimage of the seniors, dressed in their caps and gowns, is being worked on by Chairman Doris Thompson, who has contacted numerous students to speak as the group tours the campus. Graduation rehearsal will take place that same afternoon of Wednesday, May 28, at the Opera House, and the graduation will be held at 8 p.m.

At a meeting held yesterday, Senior Week committee chairman Rita O'Brien, and Jean Deckman presented all of their plans for the week and class president, Frank Grannucci, also presented his ideas. A senior meeting for all seniors will be held Tuesday, May 1, at 1 p.m., during the hour of a faculty meeting.

Dr. Frank M. Andrews' collection of portraits of noted plant physiologists has been presented to the department of botany at Indiana university.—ACP.

Princeton university recently acquired a fossil of a bat estimated to be 60,000,000 years old.—ACP.

Skirts 5" from Floor

—Says 1917 Normal School Catalogue By "MAZIE" MARTIN

Fashion—the weird, the all-powerful, the "they" that decree that shoulders are wider, hips are narrower, and legs are longer "this" season—once had such a strong hold that women's dresses had to be only "five or six inches from the floor." This fashion rule, along with several others equally as stringent, was revealed by the 1917 catalog of the California State Normal School of San Francisco, now San Francisco State College.

"It is entirely proper that all dresses be adorned with girdles, dainty collars and cuffs, sashes, ties, belts, buttons, or braid. The neck should be no lower than one inch below the neckline and a V-shaped neck... The skirt should not be shorter than five to six inches from the floor, covering the shoe tops."

Shoe types fixed to solid colors and "extremely high heels, heel-less shoes, colored tops, pumps and Mary Jane shoes" were to be avoided. The catalog runs the gamut of ladies' wear, and sets up regulations for jewelry and adornments, hair styles and materials to be used. The rules frankly granted that "in cold weather an extra garment such as sweater or a top coat is necessary for comfort."

The regulations were set up by a committee of women on the faculty and the student body. Those who wanted to dress differently were asked to petition the committee.

"The principal aim in these suggestions, it will be observed, is to develop full possibilities of all individuality to maintain a middle ground between ultra-conservatism and ultra-radicalism, and to accomplish these ends by all possible devices of economy," the committee explained.

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State Budget Sliced \$25,000

After getting a sizeable nick by the Ways and Means committee, State's biennial budget, included in Assembly Bill No. 1800, is today on the floor of the Assembly where backers of the budget in its original form are attempting to restore a cut which amounted to \$24,690.

President Alexander C. Roberts who reported this news today, showed evidence of backing in the Assembly, with excerpts from two Assemblymen's letters.

From Assemblyman Edward F. O'Day: "... be assured that I shall do all in my power to see that the cut of \$24,690 is restored to the budget."

From Assemblyman Albert C. Wollenberg: "... all of us in the San Francisco delegation hope that we will be able to restore the funds needed by the San Francisco State College."

The original amount of the budget was \$838,882. This fund, in addition to tuition income, is used for the college's current expenses over the two-year period, 1941-43.

Shocking Developments In Chemistry Lab

Roger G. Preston, well-liked instructor, was shocked today by developments in his chemistry lab. Mixologist Preston was figuratively shocked while with chemists Bill Paizis and Al Anido the jolt was "Oh, so literal."

Anido, in defiance of all the laws of physics and common sense, removed an electric light from its socket and casually inserted his thumb. As 110 volts virtually roared through his capacious frame, did Al jump for the roof? Quite on the contrary, he seemed to enjoy it. As Preston watched amazed, every ounce of experimental blood arose in Paizis.

Stepping forward, he seized the plug from Anido and cautiously felt for the "live" spot. Nothing happened; that is, nothing happened until he turned on the switch someone had shut off, and was "shocked" to the very core.

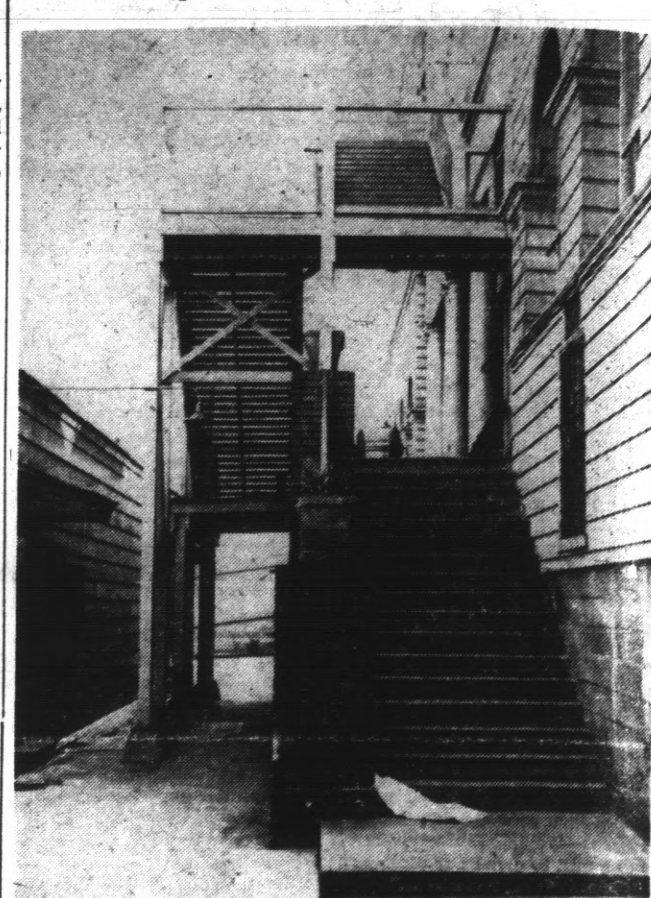
Amazing Al again allowed the current to contact him, but still seemed impervious to shock. No other brave soul would come forward, however.

Quoted Preston, "Something or someone isn't all right here."

Quoted Anido, "I'm all right, I think."

Quoted Paizis, "NUTS."

This Way Out?



—Photo by Treutlein.
Inadequacy in the San Francisco State buildings from a safety standpoint is graphically illustrated in the photo above of the fire escape stairs leading from College Hall. The exit, unsound as it is, would be the only avenue of escape feasible in event of fire.

Gosh! State Debaters Enter San Quentin

State debaters, Sam Dana and David Lull, will take the negative side in a debate to be held Sunday, May 25, at San Quentin prison. The question to be debated is "Resolved that the U. S. should clear up its difficulties at home before becoming entangled in European affairs."

Opponents will be two inmates from San Quentin.

Sigma Alpha Eta Selects Pledges

Six men students recently pledged by Sigma Alpha Eta, men's honorary upper-division fraternity, are now going through the probationary period, according to Lew Morris, president.

The six are: Al Gorla, Richard Gordon, John Grantham, Gordon Minor, Izzy Pivnick and Arnold Vezzani. These men were picked because their records indicate outstanding ability both in activities and in the classroom, Morris said.

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